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25X1 1. The Pankow Compound (see enclosed diagram) includes Kronprinzenstrasse, Viktoriastrasse, Friedrich Wilhelmstrasse, Gullweg, and portions of Schloss Strasse and Grabbe Allee. Four sentry posts insure that no unauthorized persons enter. Reportedly only those billeted therein are permitted entry.

2. Although General Kotikov (Soviet City Commandant of Berlin) has his main house in Karlshorst, he has a dwelling in the compound, as do the chiefs of MVD Pankow. [redacted] all high ranking Soviet officers live in the compound but they also have other quarters outside. The ranking MVD officers billeted there are one Lt. Colonel Petrov (Political Officer) and one Captain Darsneck (Party Propaganda). The chief of both these men is one Colonel Bugrimenko. [redacted] Bugrimenko was formerly Political Officer in Pankow, and is now MVD Chief for Berlin-North.

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2. The highest leaders of the SED also live in the compound. For example, most of the thirteen members of the SED Central Secretariat: Wilhelm Pieck, Otto Grotewohl, Franz Dähle, Anton Ackermann, Käthe Kern, and so on. There are

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as well, some persons, for example the poet, Bechor, who are leading lights of the Kulturbund.

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